

SUPPLEMENTAL TO CRIME REPORT

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CHARGES: 187 PC (X2), Murder
664/187 PC, Attempt Murder

VICTIMS: [REDACTED] DOB [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] DOB [REDACTED]
Officer Jared SLOCUM

SUSPECT: Kevin James COLLIER DOB 03/22/1979

DATE/TIME: 08/21/2011, 1708 hours

LOCATION: 1033 Prince Street, El Cajon

REFERENCE: Statement of Case

FACTS:

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

On 8-21-11, at 1701 hours, COLLIER leaves a message on a friend's phone telling them that he had just shot his fourteen-month old daughter and mother-in-law in the head. At 1709 hours, the El Cajon Police Department receives multiple 911 calls of the shootings. Witnesses report seeing COLLIER park his truck on the north curb line of Prince Street in front of the residence at 1033 Prince Street. COLLIER is seen going into the residence with a gun. A few minutes later, [REDACTED] calls the El Cajon Police Department from a friend's house in El Cajon, stating she had just received a picture message on her cell phone from COLLIER. The picture showed [REDACTED] mother's residence at 1033 Prince Street on fire.

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El Cajon Police Officers J. SLOCUM and T. MCFARLAND arrive on scene and approach the area on foot. Smoke could be seen coming from the area, but it could not be confirmed which residence the smoke was coming from. Officer SLOCUM approached 1033 Prince Street and took cover behind COLLIER's white pickup truck parked in front of 1033 Prince Street. Officer MCFARLAND took a perimeter on the west side of 1033 Prince Street.

COLLIER stood in the front porch area of the residence and started to yell towards Officer SLOCUM. COLLIER began firing several rounds at Officer SLOCUM, striking him one time on the left side of his head, causing a serious head injury. Officer SLOCUM returned fire three times in the direction of COLLIER. All three of Officer SLOCUM's rounds missed COLLIER. Officer SLOCUM realized he had been shot and attempted to apply pressure to his injury while running westbound to get out of COLLIER's line of fire. Officer SLOCUM's motor skills start to diminish and he falls to the ground. Officer MCFARLAND runs to Officer SLOCUM's location and starts to drag him across the street, out of the line of fire. Two witnesses run up to Officer MCFARLAND and help drag Officer SLOCUM to the driveway at 1021 Prince Street. A law enforcement rescue team comes to Officer SLOCUM's location and safely gets him out of the area.

A countywide call is broadcast to all law enforcement personnel in San Diego County to respond to the incident. COLLIER had set fire to the residence at 1033 Prince Street. A perimeter is set around the residence and within minutes, the residence is fully engulfed in flames. Law enforcement personnel provide armed cover for the fire department as they attempt to put out the fire.

COLLIER calls police and states he had shot his daughter in the truck, and his mother-in-law in the bedroom. [REDACTED] receives a text message from COLLIER telling her he killed her mother and daughter. At 1732 hours, officers on the perimeter of the residence report hearing one single gunshot coming from within the house.

[REDACTED] was shot twice in the head and found deceased sitting in her infant car seat in the back cab area of COLLIER's truck. Two 9mm casings were located in the truck along with two projectiles. One of the projectiles was found in [REDACTED] clothing, and the second one was located in the rubber seal of the rear passenger door.

At approximately 2200 hours, fire personnel were able to put out the residential fire. Fire personnel enter the charred residence with the cover of police personnel. A charred body, later identified as COLLIER, is found inside the garage area of the residence, near a doorway. The body clearly had a gunshot wound to the head and was badly burned. COLLIER had a 9mm Glock in a holster on his left hip, and an empty holster tucked into the right side of his pants. There was a magazine holder on COLLIER's belt and he was holding a shotgun. A Glock .45 caliber handgun was found on the ground north of COLLIER's body. A box of shotgun shells was located outside of the side door to the garage where COLLIER was found.

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On 8-22-12, the charred remains of a second body, later identified as [REDACTED], was found in the bedroom area of the residence. [REDACTED] had a shotgun wound to the head.

Two .45 caliber casings were located in the porch area of the residence where COLLIER was shooting at Officer SLOCUM.

The investigation concluded that [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] were victims of a homicide. [REDACTED] had died from two gunshot wounds to the head and [REDACTED] had died from a single shotgun wound to the head. Officer SLOCUMB is recovering from one gunshot wound to his head.

The suspect Kevin COLLIER had died as a result of a self-inflicted shotgun wound to his head.

Respectfully submitted,

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